

REMARKS

Claims 1-17 and 25-27 have been canceled, without prejudice.

Claims 34-52 have been added based on the Examiner's comment regarding allowable method claims and further aspects of the disclosure. Claim 47 finds basis, for example, in the definition of R² in the claims and specification. In addition the definition of R³ is found from page 41 lines 7 to 9. Substitutions for R³ are found at page 42 lines 13 to 22 and for R at lines page 43 lines 23 and 24. Support for claim 48 can be found, for example, in the definition of R² of the claims. Basis for R³ is found in the text at page 41, lines 10 and 11. Basis for R⁵ is found at page 43 lines 11 to 16. Substitutions for R³ are found at page 42 lines 13 to 22 and for R at lines page 43 lines 23 and 24. Support for claim 49 can be found, for example, for R² in the claims, R³ at page 41 lines 12 to 14 and R⁵ and R as above. Substitutions for R³ are found at page 42 lines 13 to 22 and for R at lines page 43 lines 23 and 24. Claim 50 additionally finds basis, for example, for the definition of Y at page 41 line 2, for further definition of R³ at page 42 lines 10 and 11, for R⁵ at page 43 line 16 and for the substitutions of R³ and R as above. Support for claim 51 can be found, for example, for R² and Y as above, the further definition of R³ at page 41 lines 14 and 15, for A in the claims. Support for claim 52 can be found, for example, for R³ at page 42 lines 13 to 22, R⁵ at page 43 line 16 and for the substitutions of R³ and R as above.

No new matter has been added. The claims have been amended without prejudice to advance prosecution. Claims 18-24 and 28-52 are pending.

The Section 112, second paragraph, rejection of claims 18-24 and 28-33 is obviated by the above amendments. Withdrawal of the rejection is requested.

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The claims are submitted to be in condition for allowance and a Notice to that effect is requested. The Examiner is requested to contact the undersigned in the event anything further is required in this regard.

Respectfully submitted,

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